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Sir:

The documents listed on the enclosed PTO Form-1449 are being brought to the attention of the examiner pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98. Copies of the foreign and non-patent documents are enclosed as necessary.

The Japanese document entitled "Candle Emitting Sound" No. JP62220594 appears to disclose in FIG. 1 a candle viewed laterally from above having a wick placed longitudinally through the candle body with a sound emitting device contained within the candle body base. Further, FIG. 2 appears to depict a longitudinal cross-section of the same candle as is pictured in FIG. 1 viewed from the side with elements including an exterior surface of the candle body, a fuel within the exterior surface, a wick extending longitudinally from above and through the candle body to a sound emitting device located in the candle body base having at least five constituent elements, the wick being lit, an indication of molten fuel near the lit flame at the top of the candle body, and a directional indicators at the top of the candle body near the flame and near the sound emitting device.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months after the filing date of the present application but, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of a first Office action. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(b), no certification or fee is required.

An early and favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

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